RESOLUTION NO. 2007-153

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL APPROVING A REDUCTION OF THE SPEED LIMIT ON LOWER SACRAMENTO ROAD FROM SOUTH CITY LIMITS TO 1,300 FEET SOUTH OF KETTLEMAN LANE FROM 55 MILES PER HOUR TO 50 MILES PER HOUR AND THEREBY AMENDING TRAFFIC RESOLUTION NO. 97-148

WHEREAS, per §40802(b) of the California Vehicle Code, in order to radar enforce vehicle speeds on this portion of Lower Sacramento Road, a valid Engineering and Traffic Survey must exist; and

WHEREAS. Engineering and Traffic Surveys were performed based upon the State of California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) guidelines; and

WHEREAS, the surveys include a map showing the physical characteristics of the roadway, such as roadway width, number of through lanes, and traffic controls. Traffic volumes. prevailing speeds, and accidents are analyzed and the results are provided in a written narrative for each street; and

WHEREAS, three factors are considered when determining speed limits. They are as follows: 1) Prevailing Speeds (85th Percentile Speeds); 2) Accidents; and 3) Unexpected Conditions; and

WHEREAS, the portion of Lower Sacramento Road from the south City limits to 1.300 feet south of Kettleman Lane was recently added to the City with the Southwest Gateway Annexation and currently has a prima facia speed limit of 55 miles per hour; and

WHEREAS, the Public Works Department recently performed an Engineering and Traffic Survey on Lower Sacramento Road from the south City limits to 1,300 feet south of Kettleman Lane and recommends approval of the speed limit of 50 miles per hour.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council hereby approves a reduction of the speed limit on Lower Sacramento Road from the south City limits to 1,300 feet south of Kettleman Lane from 55 miles per hour to 50 miles per hour; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City of Lodi Traffic Resolution No. 97-148, Section 7, "Speed Limits," is hereby amended by designating the 50 mile per hour speed limit on Lower Sacramento Road from the south City limits to 1,300 feet south of Kettleman Lane.

Dated: August 1, 2007

I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2007-153 was passed and adopted by the City Council of

the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held August 1, 2007, by the following vote:

AYES:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - Hansen, Hitchcock, Katzakian, Mounce, and

Mayor Johnson

NOES:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSENT:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

RANDI JOHL City Clerk